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Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554 Office of Secretary

In the Matter of)	
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SOUTHWESTERN BROADCASTING)	MM Docket No. 96-104
CORPORATION)	File No. BRH-900315UC
)	
For Renewal of License)	
for Station KLZK(FM))	
Brownfield, Texas)	

To: The General Counsel

MOTION FOR REVERSAL OF SUMMARY DECISION AND GRANT OF APPLICATION

Southwestern Broadcasting Corporation ("Southwestern"), pursuant to note 4 on page 3 of the Commission's Order, FCC 96-443, released November 15, 1996, hereby requests the General Counsel to exercise the authority delegated to him in said Order and reverse the Summary Decision ("S.D."), 11 FCC Rcd 9120 (ALJ 1996), denying the captioned KLZK renewal application and issue an order granting said application.

In support whereof, the following is shown:

1. In the <u>S.D.</u>, Administrative Law Judge Richard L. Sippel ("ALJ") denied the captioned renewal application and cancelled the KLZK license. Southwestern filed exceptions to the <u>S.D.</u> with the Commission. In response, the Commission issued the November 15, 1996 <u>Order</u> directing the Mass Media Bureau to reinstate and process an application for a construction permit for new KLZK facilities filed on May 8, 1996 and ordering that this proceeding be held in abeyance pending action on the application and construction of the new facilities.

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- 2. The Bureau complied with the Commission's directive by issuing Southwestern a construction permit, File No. BPH-96 0508IA, on November 20, 1996. Southwestern completed construction of the new KLZK facilities and began broadcasting pursuant to the automatic program test provisions of 47 C.F.R. § 73.1620 on February 5, 1997. See ¶ 2 of the Declaration of Southwestern's president attached hereto. An application for license to cover operation on the new facilities was filed on February 6, 1997. Id., ¶ 3.
- 3. As pointed out in ¶ 2 of the November 15, 1996 Order, KLZK's license and operating authority would have been terminated automatically under 47 U.S.C. § 312(g) if the station had not resumed broadcasting by February 9, 1997. However, since Southwestern did meet the statutory deadline, no impediments remain to a grant of the captioned license renewal application. Accordingly, pursuant to note 4 on page 3 of the Commission's November 15, 1996 Order, the General Counsel is respectfully requested to reverse the S.D., grant the KLZK renewal application and terminate this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

SOUTHWESTERN BROADCASTING CORPORATION

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DECLARATION

- I, Thomas J. Crane, under penalty of the laws of perjury, do hereby declare the following to be true:
- 1) I am President of Southwestern Broadcasting Corporation, licensee of FM radio station, KLZK, Brownfield, Texas.
- 2) Pursuant to authority contained in Construction Permit File Number BPH-960508IA, granted on November 20, 1996, Southwestern Broadcasting Corporation completed construction of new facilities for KLZK on February 5, 1997, and began broadcasting over those facilities pursuant to automatic program test authority as authorized in 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1620 on the same date.
- 3) An application on FCC Form 302 requesting a license for operation with KLZK's new facilities was sent to the Commission's Pittsburgh office on February 5, 1997 and was received by that office on February 6, 1997.

Thomas J. Crane

Signed and dated this 25th day of February, 1997.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Lawrence J. Bernard, Jr.